



Sketch of the original Joannes Brothers Wholesale Grocers business located on S. Washington Street.

On the left side of the drawing is the Coffee and Spice Mills of Joannes Bros. Frustrated by the difficulty of obtaining pure and quality spices for their customers, Joannes Bros. added to their business fully equipped spice and coffee mills.

The building was touted as having the best "machinery and appliances for grinding spices and roasting coffees scientifically...."

The Coffee and Spice Mills operated by Joannes Bros. had a national reputation.